

## Message Text

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TAGS: ASEC

SUBJ: POSSIBLE TERRORISM PROJECT - VEHICULAR GATE

REF: STATE 91872 AND 78089

1. RSO BELIEVES PRESENT VEHICULAR GATE SHOULD BE REPLACED FOR  
THR FOLLOWING REASONS:

A. GATE IS RAPIDLY DETERIORATING AND ONCE OVER  
THE PAST FEW MONTHS THE GATE FELL OFF ITS HINGES FROM EVERY DAY USE.

B. EVEN THOUGH THE PRESENT ONLE IS EQUIPPED WITH A CROSS  
BAR FOR USE IN EMERGENCIES IT COULD NOT WITHSTAND A CRASH BY  
A VEHICLE OR EXERTED STRESS FROM A MOB.

C. PRESENT GATE CONSISTS OF TWO PIECES, EACH OF WHICH IS  
HINGED IN THE CENTER; EVEN WITH A CROSS BAR INSTALLED THE GATE  
HEIS STILL TOO FLEXIBLE TO TAKE ANY OUTSIDE FORCE APPLIED TO IT.

D. PRESENT GATE IS CONSTRUCTED OF STEEL WITH A HIGH COMPOSITION  
OF PIG IRON, THUSMAKING IT IMPOSSIBLE TO WELD SEVERAL OF THE  
JOINTS WHICH ARE PRESENTLY COMING APART.

2. RSO HAS OBTAINED DRAWINGS AND COST FIGURES OF A NEW  
GATE WHICH WILL BE ABLE TOWITHSTAND MOB ACTTION OR VEHICULAR  
CRASH. IF DEPARTMENT DESIRES PHOTOS OF OLD GATE WITH ITS WEAK  
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POINTS AND DRAWING OF PROPOSED NEW GATE WITH ITS ADVANTAGES

THESE CAN BE SUBMITTED.

3. RSO WOULD LIKE TO POINT OUT TO DEPARTMENT THAT PRESENT GATE  
HAS BEEN IN USE SINCE CONSULULATE WAS ESTABLISHED IN EARLY 1900'S.  
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